NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO Docket No. THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Small Entity) E-1950 Mark E. Dillon In Re Application Of: Application No. Filing Date Examiner Customer No. **Group Art Unit** Confirmation No. 09/754.010 **б1/03/2001** Sharmila S. Gollamudi 000045190 1616 3438 NOVEL WOUND DRESSING, PROCESS OF MANUFACTURE AND USEFUL ARTICLES THEREOF Invention: **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:** Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated 03/17/2006 finally rejecting Claim(s) 34-45

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.

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